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# AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER Docket No. SHO-0048

Application No. Filing Date Examiner Art Unit 10/697,245-Conf. #9924 October 31, 2003 C. S. Weber 3714

Applicant(s): Nobuyuki NONAKA

Invention: GAMING MACHINE

#### TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.

| CLAIMS AS AMENDED   |   |   |                                   |      |          |
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|   | Claims<br>Remaining<br>After<br>Amendment | Highest<br>Number<br>Previously<br>Paid | Number<br>Extra Claims<br>Present | Rate |          |
| Total Claims  | 5   | - 20 =                                  |                                   | X    |          |
| Independent<br>Claims   | 3   | - 3 =                                   |                                   | x    |          |
| Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable)   |   |   |                                   |      |          |
| Other fee (please specify): Extension for response within third month   |   |   |                                   |      | 1,020.00 |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:  |   |   |                                   |      | 1,020.00 |
| x Large Entity Small Entity   |   |   |                                   |      |          |
| No additional fee is required for this amendment.    X   Please charge Deposit Account No18-0013 in the amount of \$1,020.00    A   A   duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. |   |   |                                   |      |          |
| A check in the amount of \$ to cover the filing fee is enclosed.  |   |   |                                   |      |          |
| Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.  |   |   |                                   |      |          |
| The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No   |   |   |                                   |      |          |
| Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17.  Dated: September 6, 2007  |   |   |                                   |      |          |
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In re the Application of:

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### AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

**Mail Stop Amendment** 

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

#### I. INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated March 15, 2007, the period for response being extended to September 15, 2007, by the Petition for Extension of Time filed herewith, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below.

Claims 1-5 are pending in the application. By this Amendment, claims 1-5 are amended.

## II. AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS

(There are no amendments to the drawings)

## III. AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

(There are no amendments to the specification)